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**REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF  
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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It is noted that the subject application was officially allowed by Notice of Allowance dated November 18, 2010.

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A copy of this document is attached. It is respectfully requested that the Examiner acknowledge consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement so the duty of disclosure may be fully met before payment of the issue fee.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michael J. Striker', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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       In accordance with the Duty of Disclosure, Applicant(s) submit(s) herewith a copy of Foreign Search Report in a counterpart application and copies of the reference(s) indicated therein.

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  X   Applicant petitions for consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement since it is being submitted after receipt of an office action. The required fee is submitted herewith. Authorization is given to debit the account of the undersigned for any deficiency in connection therewith: 19-4675.

- ☒ Attached hereto are copies (except for US patents and/or publications) of references cited which may be pertinent to this application. Since the references are in the English language, no statement of relevancy is submitted.
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- ☐ The Prior Art has been submitted in the parent application. A form PTO 1449 is being submitted herewith so that the cited art will be printed on the face of any patent issuing on the application.

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